

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6940**  
Tsuyoshi YAMAGUCHI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_1208A  
Serial No. 10/589,240 : Group Art Unit 4172  
Filed August 14, 2006 : Examiner Adnan Baig  
TERMINAL CAPABLE : **Mail Stop:** Amendment  
SUBSTITUTING FOR CONTROL STATION

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 15, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows.